Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 16 Jan 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 17 Jan 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 15 Jan 2024 at 16:26

Confidence: High confidence for overall weather story but moderate for shower detail.

Headline for Tuesday 16 Jan 2024: A cloudy start but brightening up with sunny spells, staying dry.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 16 Jan 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
20%	20%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

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Weather: Rather cloudy at first but this soon breaking up to give clear or sunny spells. Staying dry with some prolonged sunshine at times through the day. Increasing high cloud towards midnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 80%

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility generally good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/7 SW	7/11 SW	9/13 SW	10/14 SW	13/17 SW	13/16 SW	11/16 SW	11/15 S	10/14 S
300	4/7 SW	4/9 SW	5/11 SW	7/14 SW	9/17 SW	8/16 SW	7/16 SW	7/15 SW	7/13 S
Valley	4/7 W	3/8 SW	4/10 SW	4/13 SW	8/16 SW	7/14 SW	6/15 SW	5/14 S	5/12 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-2/-6	-2/-6	-2/-7	-2/-8	-1/-7	-1/-6	-1/-7	-2/-7	-2/-6
300	-2/-4	-1/-3	-1/-4	-1/-4	2/-2	2/-2	0/-4	0/-4	-0/-4
Valley	-2/-4	-1/-3	-1/-3	-1/-3	3/-1	3/-0	1/-2	0/-2	0/-2
Freezing Level*	00m	100m	00m	00m	300m	300m	300m	300m	300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold, be prepared with appropriate layers.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Mon 15 Jan 2024	0.2mm	0.4mm	0.4mm

Forecast for Wednesday 17 Jan 2024

Weather: Dry with clear spells at first but turning increasingly cloudy through the early hours, with the chance of a little snow. This soon clearing southwards around dawn, then a dry and sunny day.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 10-15 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40% just before dawn but otherwise 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Scattered or broken cloud base 500-700m during the early hours, soon clearing. Visibility generally good, poor in early hill fog or snow.

Temperature:
Valleys: Minus 2 to plus 2 Celsius
At 600m: Minus 1 to minus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: 200-400m, soon falling to the surface

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